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HI, I'M MSGT RON BROWN, ONE OF CE'S CAREER FIELD MANAGERS. ON BEHALF OF OUR COMMANDER, COLONEL BRUCE BARTHOLD & OUR NEW CIVIL ENGINEER CAREER FIELD MANAGER, CMSGT MERLE KIBBIE, I'D LIKE TO WELCOME YOU TO AFCESA'S TRAINING & INFORMATION SATELLITE BROADCAST

THESE BROADCASTS ARE INTENDED TO MAXIMIZE OUR COMMUNICATION EFFORTS AND REDUCE ANY ANXIETY FROM NEW METHODS, PRACTICES, AND PROCEDURES.

BEFORE WE BEGIN, HERE ARE SOME NOTES THAT YOU SHOULD BE AWARE OF…

BROADCAST INFORMATION

- **This broadcast was pre-recorded; however, you'll have an opportunity to call-in questions at the end of the training segment (DSN: 523 4157)**
- **Questions via e-mail will be answered after the broadcast (ceott.helpdesk@afcesa.af.mil)**
- **Try to record these shows**
- **A CY broadcast schedule will be**

And now…Here's an overview of today's broadcast

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Today's Program

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And now the news:

(QTPs)
Some new electronic Qualification Training Packages are being developed while others have been produced and delivered to your units. These instruments are designed to enhance the OJT process by providing standardized task

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An example of one of the new AFQTPs is *The Repair of Water & Wastewater Piping Systems.* This CD ROM familiarizes students with basic information about systems as well as the materials, tools & techniques required to safely perform essential piping repairs. With these basics, & a little ingenuity, Utility System Specialists should be able to

(CerTest)

This year marked another pioneering effort for AFCESA's Training Division. CerTest 3.1 became the Division's first ever "web-updated" e-product.

By now, each unit should have downloaded the series of files to enhance your version 3.0.

Incidentally, if you do not have 3.0 loaded, 3.1 will not

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This update includes 110 new tests and some informational updates. If you have not yet completed this upgrade, go to the AFCESA home page and follow the download instructions very carefully. If you're still not too comfortable with this task, stick around for the CetTest training session immediately following the news and I'll walk you through

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Some changes were overlooked in the 3.1 revision, particularly in the Power Production and Electrical Systems areas. The Electrical Systems test 8074, *Specific Contingency Responsibilities* is no longer required and was intended to be deleted. Nine new tests have taken the place of test 8074. Two Electrical QTP tests have also

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CerTests 8118 *Electrical Systems Expedient Repairs & Cannibalization Techniques*, & test 8123, *Remote Area Lighting Set*.
The EALS tests, 8028-8032, are currently located in the Power Production test list and were intended to be moved to the Electrical Systems area. Other revisions will be forth coming to incorporate these changes

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Keep in mind only tests relating to the CFETP's diamond coded tasks are mandatory for completion, the remainders are optional. For a complete and up-to-date list of all CE AFQTPs, visit the AFCESA Training Division web site.

(AFIADL Testing)

The first of June marked the beginning of electronic end-of-course testing for all CE Trainees. Although the program is based on the CerTest format, the AF Institute for Advanced Distributive Learning (A- FI – ADDLE), has fully adopted the product & are now its primary custodians.

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For assistance in making the transition from paper to plastic, please visit AFIADL at their website:

(www.maxwell.af.mil/au/afiadl/homepage.htm)

(U&TWs)

The 99 through 00 series of Utilization & Training Workshops (or U&TWs) are nearing completion.

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So far U&TWs for all AFSs have been completed with the exception of Liquid Fuels Maintenance, scheduled to convene in August and Fire Protection scheduled for

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2000 U&TW Schedule

PAVE. & EQUIP MAY 8-12

POWER PRO JUL 10-14

ENGINEERING JUL 24-28

LIQUID FUELS AUG 21-25

FIRE PROTECTION OCT 16-20

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LFM-ers, and Firedogs, you can contribute to the success of your U&TW's by comparing your current CFETP to existing tasks. Note any shortfalls, concerns, and comments and forward them to your designated MAJCOM U&TW voting representatives.

(UETM Workshops)

The 2000 Unit Education & Training Manager's workshops are well underway.

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So far, USAFE training managers met at Mildenhall and Ramstein, respectively, for information and discussion on CE's unique training requirements.

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UE&TM Workshop Schedule

MAJCOM	LOCATIONS	DATES
USAFE	Spangd. AFB GE	20-22
JUN		
USAFE	Lakenhieth AB UK	26-28
JUN		
PACAF	Hickam AFB HI	21-23
Aug		
AFMC/AFRC	Robins AFB GA	29-31
AUG		
ANG	KELLY AFB TX	10-15

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Although target audiences have traditionally been unit education & training managers, or Chief Enlisted Managers, anyone involved with training within the unit may attend. TDY funds will be the responsibility of each attending unit. The wealth of information, discussions & information exchanges between training managers.

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We highly encourage all unit commanders to sponsor their UETMs. As I heard in a recent quote from an AF General, "If you fix training at the unit, you'll fix training for the Air Force." Let's take a look at the scheduled dates and locations of the remaining workshops

(COVERTrain)

The Contingency Operations and Vocational Engineer Review Training, or COVER Train project is on-track and on schedule. The alpha version was developed and tested by six select bases. Report cards on the product's performance, limitations and usefulness were collected and

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Beta versions are expected later this summer and COVER Train Version 1.0 is slated for January 2001. The program is currently under review by the Air Force Global Combat Support System team for integration into the Air Force-wide training application prototype.

(Power Pro Course)
Due to equipment and course material constraints, the Diesel Engine Overhaul and Generator Set Operation Course had been postponed. The Electrical Power Pro Utilization and Training Workshop (U&TW), which occurred 10-14 Jul 2000, voted to have the course (More >)
revised

The new and improved version will be offered in the spring of 2001. Replacement generators are on site at the schoolhouse to replace the unserviceable units. If you know of individuals who were scheduled to attend this course this year, please inform them of the postponements. You may address any questions on

As your support agency, we strive to provide the best tools, practices & professional support to maximize capabilities in base & contingency operations. Unit education & training managers & other unit leaders can help us fulfill this mission by keeping abreast with current changes, polices & procedures, & provide timely feedback on

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For product information purposes, here are some items that we think you should know:

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DID YOU KNOW THAT…

not all of the Commercial-off-the shelf (COTS) products are optional for use. Set Utility Poles, Overhead Line Conductors, Install Direct Burial Cable, and Splice High Voltage UG Cable Using Tape are considered AFQTPs and completion is mandatory for Electrical System Trainees in

DID YOU KNOW THAT…

the HazMat Awareness and HazMat Operations Multimedia CD-ROM's are currently being updated to make them Windows NT compatible as well as to include appropriate counter terrorism line items identified in NFPA Standard 472. Release of the updated CD-ROM's should be sometime

DID YOU KNOW THAT…

the International Fire Service Training Association (IFSTA) has recalled the 6th edition of the Fire and Emergency Services Instructor Book! You should receive from IFSTA a letter explaining return procedures. This recall may delay the release of the revised Fire Instructor CDC's

DID YOU KNOW THAT…

computer based AFQTPs developed under contract for the Air Force may be duplicated as needed by users for official use only. NOTE: This does NOT include commercial off the shelf products recently distributed by the 366 TRS.

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Limited replacements are available while supplies last by contacting Mr. Frank Vandevander at DSN 523-9705

Incidentally, if you haven't received any of our products, you may call the same number, DSN 523 9705, and ask for Mr. VanDevander. He'll ensure your names and addresses are

3E671M CDCs

By now you should be aware that, effective 14 Oct 99, the 3E671M CDCs were deactivated. The decision was made following a Sept 99 CDC workshop, which included reps from AFCESA, AFIADL (formerly the Extension Course Institute) & the 366 Training Squadron.

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The U&TW, held last year June 99, introduced a new 5-level CDC requirement aimed at replacing the existing CDC.

Those enrolled in the Operations CDCs may either:

1. Complete the course & receive completion credit from AFIADL

2. Contact your Unit Education Training Manager and dis-enroll through AFIADL.

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Please understand, completing this course is no longer an upgrade training requirement; however, upgrade trainees must complete all remaining requirements as specified in the CFETP.

(General Contingency Training)

The computer-based course of instruction, covering general contingency or CAT I training topics, was fielded. This program replaced the 3E050 CDCs, and will serve as a Readiness Training Package.

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Visit our website
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under Training Materials where you'll find the revised edition of the Procedural Guide for Civil Engineer Training, dated July 2000. This procedural guide has additional guidance of the General Contingency CD ROM, and rules of application

Well, you loose some you win some!
Chief Master Sergeant Michael Gelsliechter, one of the most formable Civil Engineer Career Field Managers of all time, retired this year. His legacies include the production of QTPs for 100% of CE's core and diamond tasks, nearly $6M of electronic support tools, millions of dollars in Selective

Chief G's replacement is Chief Master Sergeant Meryle Kibbie, who promises to continue building legacies and enhance career paths for Civil Engineers. Chief Kibbie will share his greetings in an upcoming broadcast.

(Interim Wrap-up)

That's the headline training news and information from AFCESA. In just a moment we'll switch to our training segment where you'll receive instruction on the latest in CerTest 3.1, and a introduced to COVER Train. Stay with us.

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